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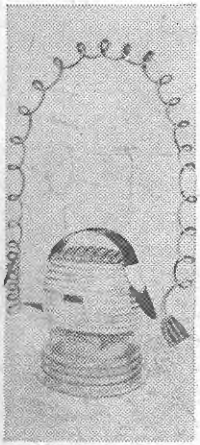

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GET INTO THE THICK OF BATTLE WITH...

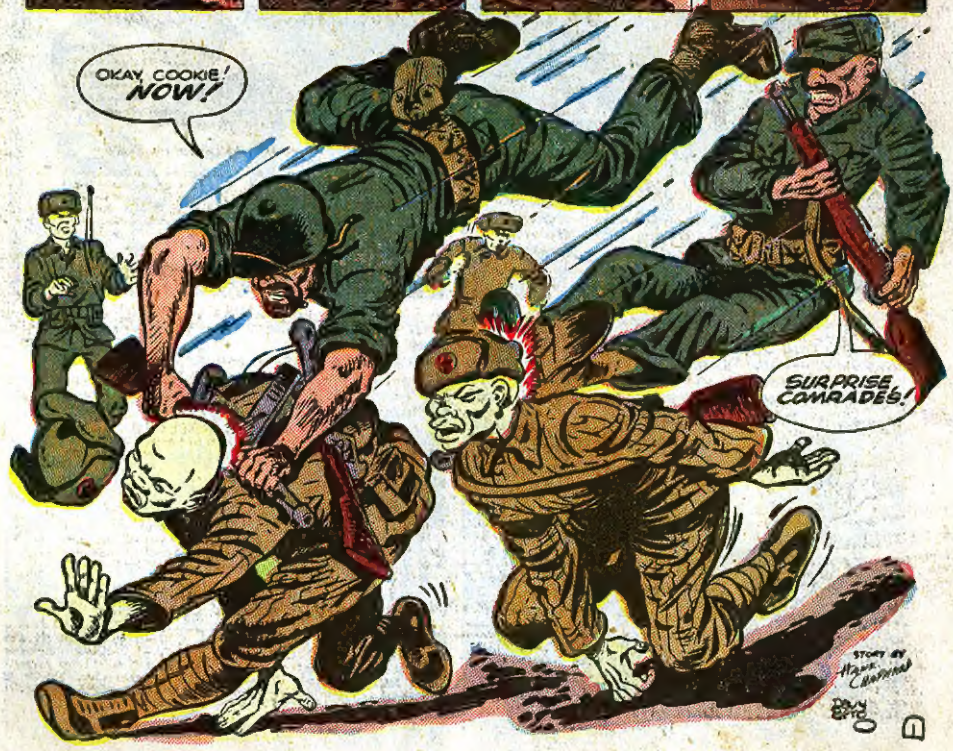
COMBAT KELLY

COMBAT KELLY AND HIS PAL, COOKIE NOVAK, SPOT A FOUR-MAN COMMIE PATROL..

THE TWO DOGGIES SWEAT OUT THE REDS.

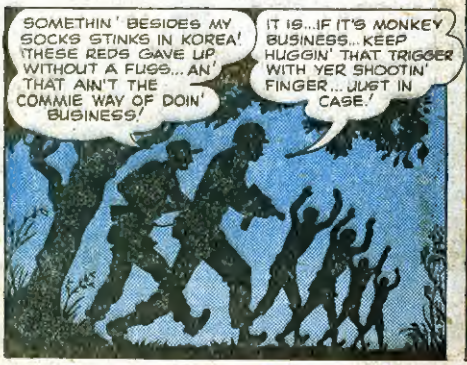
THEY WAIT FOR THEM TO COME CLOSER.

SO CLOSE THAT THEY CAN SMELL THE KOREAN GARLIC ON THEIR BREATH..



NAIL THAT OTHER ONE, COOKIE! HE'S REACHIN' FOR HIS BURPER!
HE'S NAILED!
OOFFA!
ONE OF THE OTHER REDS RECOVERS AND GETS HIS GREASY PAWS ON HIS RIFLE...
FOUR PRISONERS IS A GOOD DAY'S WORK! NOW WE CAN GET BACK TO THE BASE!
YEAH... IF THESE SLEEPIN' UGLIES EVER RISE AN' SHINE!
COOKIE'S SHARP EARS CATCH THE CAT-LIKE MOVEMENT AND HE WHIRLS AROUND WITH HIS RIFLE POINTED AT THE RED...
'AH-HA! CAUGHT YA, YA DIRTY, BACK-SHOOTIN' SKUNK! NOW I'LL SHOW YA HOW WE DO IT FROM THE FRONT!
WAIT, COOKIE! HOLD IT! STRAIGHTEN OUT YOUR TRIGGER FINGER! THAT RED AIN'T GONNA SHOOT... HE'S HANDIN' US HIS RIFLE!
THEN IT'S A CRUMMY COMMIE TRICK! THEM GUYS NEVER GIVE ANYTHIN' AWAY... BUT LEAD!
BUT TO COOKIE'S AND COMBAT'S AMAZEMENT, THE RED LAYS THE GUN DOWN AT THEIR FEET, THEN RAISES HIS ARMS IN SURRENDER...
HOLY SMOKES! HE... HE'S GIVIN' UP WITHOUT A FIGHT!
YEAH... AN' CA-RIPES, LOOK! SO ARE THE OTHER THREE!

THE FOUR REDS OFFER NO RESISTANCE! THEY BOW AND SMILE AND EVEN OFFER TO CARRY THE TWO G.I'S BACK TO THE U.N. LINES! BUT COMBAT AND COOKIE WOULD RATHER GET THERE THE INFANTRY WAY... ON THE HOOF. .


SOMETHIN' BESIDES MY SOCKS STINKS IN KOREA! THESE REDS GAVE UP WITHOUT A FUSS... AN' THAT AIN'T THE COMMIE WAY OF DOIN' BUSINESS!
IT IS...IF IT'S MONKEY BUSINESS... KEEP HUGGIN' THAT TRIGGER WITH YER SHOOTIN' FINGER... JUST IN CASE.!

BUT THE REDS NEVER OPEN UP THEIR MONKEY BUSINESS AND WHEN COMBAT AND COOKIE GET TO THEIR OUTFIT, THEY REPORT TO MAJOR THORN WITH THE PRISONERS, AND THEY TELL HIM WHAT HAPPENED...

HMMMM! THAT DOES SEEM STRANGE! BUT MAYBE THEY'RE JUST SICK AND TIRED OF FIGHTING! A LOT OF THE REDS ARE SURRENDERING THESE DAYS! I'LL QUESTION THEM AND SEE WHAT I CAN FIND OUT!

THE REDS TALK AS IF THEY WERE VACCINATED WITH A JUKE BOX NEEDLE...

YALU RIVER ROSIE!
YALU RIVER ROSIE? HOLY SMOKES!
NO NEED TO WORRY ABOUT HER, MAJOR! SHE MADE SUCKERS OUT OF US ONCE... BUT NEVER AGAIN!

SHE'S BEHIND BARBED WIRE RIGHT HERE ON THIS BASE AN' THAT'S WHERE SHE BELONGS, SO... HOLY CA-RIPES! SHE DIDN'T ESCAPE AGAIN ... DID SHE, SIR?
NOT YET SHE HASN'T! BUT THESE MEN SAY THAT THE REDS ARE PLANNING TO ATTACK THE BASE IN AN ATTEMPT TO GET HER FREE!

YALU RIVER ROSIE IS A MIGHTY DANGEROUS DAME, MAJOR THORN! IF THEM REDS SPRING HER THERE'LL BE PLENTY OF TROUBLE AROUND HERE WITH HER ON THE LOOSE!
I AGREE WITH YOU, COMBAT! SHE'S GOT TO BE MOVED TO THE REAR!

A HALF-HOUR LATER, COMBAT, COOKIE AND YALU RIVER ROSIE ARE ON THEIR WAY SOUTH IN A JEEP...
CRIPES, COMBAT! THE WORST THING YA EVER DID WAS TO RUN INTO THIS COMMIE RATTLESNAKE IN THE FIRST PLACE! WE'VE HAD NOTHIN' BUT TROUBLE SINCE!
AND YOU'LL HAVE EVEN MORE BEFORE I'M THRU WITH YOU TWO G.I. SWINE!
YEAH... AN' YER GONNA BE THRU WITH US AS SOON'S WE DUMP YOU AT DIVISION H.Q., ROSIE! AN' YER ONE BUNDLE I DON'T MIND DITCHIN'! YA MADE SUCKERS OUT OF US ONCE... BUT NEVER AGAIN!
LIFT YER BROGAN OFF THE GAS PEDAL COMBAT! AN M.P IS FLAGGIN' US DOWN! THIS MUST BE A CHECK POINT!
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NOT A CHECK POINT, STUPID ONES... BUT A GUN POINT!
RAISE HANDS, 'MELICANS!
HOLY SMOKES, COMBAT! IT... IT'S A RED WEARIN' G.I. ISSUE!
MP
YEAH... AN' HERE'S SOMETHIN' ELSE HE CAN TRY ON FOR SIZE!
OOFA!
CRIPES, THERE'S MORE GUERRILLAS COMIN' OUTTA THE WOODS! THIS IS WHY THOSE FOUR REDS GAVE UP SO EASY! THE INFO WAS PHONY... JUST TO MAKE US MOVE ROSIE! KEEP YER GOOD EYE ON HER, COOKIE!
...AN' MY GUN! SHE MADE A SUCKER OUTTA ME ONCE...
...BUT NEVER... OWW!
OW-CHA!
BUT NEVER AGAIN... WILL YOU AWAKEN, 'MELICAN!
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PUT DOWN THAT REVOLVER, OX-HEAD! THIS IS AMERICAN TERRITORY! ONE SHOT AND THE WHOLE AREA WILL BE CONTAMINATED WITH HERDS OF THE SWINE!
THEN I SHALL USE A KNIFE ON THESE TWO... IT ONLY WHISPERS WHILE IT WORKS!

I KNOW... BUT IT IS TOO MERCIFUL A DEATH FOR THESE CAMELS WHO CAUSED ME TO LIVE BEHIND A WALL OF BARBED WIRE FOR A MONTH! TIE THEM TO THE REAR OF THE JEEP.. WE'LL DRAG THEM BEHIND US UNTIL THEY TURN INTO DUST!
AH-H-H! THE WOMAN'S TOUCH! AN EXCELLENT IDEA, ROSIE!

COMBAT AND COOKIE GET RID OF THE STARS ZOOMING IN THEIR HEADS WHEN THEY'RE DRAGGED FROM THE JEEP AND SHOVED BEHIND IT...

TIE THEM WELL... THEY HAVE A LONG WAY TO DRAG!
NOT IF I CAN HELP IT... AND IF COOKIE GETS THE LEAD, OUTTA HIS BRITCHES WHEN I CALL THE NEXT DANCE!

COMBAT CHECKS THE IMPORTANT DETAILS IN HIS MIND... JEEP EMPTY... MOTOR RUNNING... ALL REDS BETWEEN JEEP AND HIM... CHECK AND DOUBLE CHECK...

THE TWO SCISSORING LENGTHS OF ROPE SLASH AT THE REDS AND TOPPLE THEM OVER AS COMBAT AND COOKIE JUMP INTO THE JEEP..

THE GEARS GRIND AND THE VEHICLE TAKES OFF LIKE A ROCKET GONE HAYWIRE...

AND YALU RIVER ROSIE RECOVERS JUST IN TIME TO GIVE THE TWO DOGGIES A GOING-AWAY PRESENT...

THE CYLINDER ON YALU RIVER ROSIE'S GUN SPINS AS SHE SENDS SIX BULLETS RIPPING INTO THE JEEP'S REAR TIRES...

THEM BLOWOUTS ARE ROCKIN' THE BOAT, COOKIE! I...I CAN'T HOLD THIS CHARIOT ON THE ROAD WITH MY FEET!

CA-RIPES, COMBAT! DO SOMETHIN'! WE'RE HEADIN' TOWARDS THE EDGE OF THE ROAD!

IF YER OKAY COOKIE, TURN ON YER BACK! USE YER FEET! KICK! IT AIN'T FAR TO SHORE!

YEAH, I'M OKAY... BUT I DON'T BELIEVE IT!

IN A FEW MINUTES THEY BOTH REACH SHALLOW WATER...

WE'RE SAFE, COMBAT! WE GOT AWAY... WE GAVE ROSIE THE SLIP! WHO'S THE SUCKER NOW?

IF YER REALLY INTERESTED, COOKIE...

TAKE A LOOK DOWN THERE... AND YA'LL SEE THE TWO BIGGEST SUCKERS IN KOREA!

YEAH... AIN'T IT THE TRUTH!

WITH BOWED HEADS... AND THEIR HANDS STILL TIED BEHIND THEIR BACKS, THE TWO G.I.'S HEAD FOR HOME...

CRIPES, COMBAT... WHATTA WE GONNA TELL THE MAJOR?

I KNOW WHAT WE'RE GONNA TELL HIM... BUT...WHAT IS HE GONNA TELL US?

THE END

COMBAT KELLY EVENS UP THE SCORE WITH YALU RIVER KILLER ROSIE IN THE NEXT ISSUE... BUT IT'S A ROUGH AND RUGGED DETAIL... DON'T MISS IT!

ATLAS DON'T MISS "MENACE!" THE NEWEST, MOST UNUSUAL MAGAZINE EVER PRINTED! ATLAS

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It takes those extra lbs. of solid flesh to "bring out" your natural curves

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Remember, if you don't get a sufficient quantity of Vitamin B_1 in your daily diet, you may suffer loss of appetite. And without sufficient iron, the element that helps build rich red blood, you may be rundown, pale, weak and listless. You need calcium phosphate for sound teeth and sturdy bones.

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CRIPES, COMBAT! THAT NEW KID HAS FROZEN UP! HE AIN'T FIRED A SHOT IN THIS BANZAI YET!
THEN HE'D BETTER START... AN' QUICK! OR THAT COMMIE CHARACTER WITH THE BAYONET IS GONNA MAKE A BATTLEFIELD PINUP OUTTA HIM!
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STORY BY H. CHAPMAN

AW-W FOR CRIPES SAKES, COMBAT... DO SOMETHING! THAT KID'S TOO SCARED TO EVEN MOVE!
I'M BUSY RIGHT NOW... BUT MEBBY I CAN SPARE A SECOND... AN' A 45 SLUG!

BUT WHEN COMBAT KELLY SQUEEZES THE TRIGGER ON HIS THOMPSON... ALL HE GETS OUT OF IT IS A METALLIC CLICK...
HOLY SMOKES! I GOTTA DRY CLIP HANGING ON THIS CHOPPER!
CLICK!
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COMBAT FLIPS THE SUB-MACHINE GUN AROUND ON HIS TRIGGER FINGER AND GRABS IT BY THE BARREL...

THERE'RE MORE WAYS THAN ONE TO STOP A BANZAI BOZO WHO'S ON A BAYONET BINGE. I HOPE!

AS THE COMMIE LUNGES AT THE FEAR-FROZEN G.I. ..COMBAT SHOVES THE THOMPSON STOCK IN FRONT OF THE KID'S CHEST, AND...

BINGO! NICE STICKIN', COMRADE BUT YA RUINED THE PAINT JOB!

SO THIS'S FOR DAMAGIN' GOVERNMENT PROPERTY!

OW-W!

GIMME THAT GUN, KID! IT'S A SHAME TO LET ALL YER AMMO GO TO WASTE WHEN THERE'RE SO MANY OF THESE CHARACTERS ASKIN' FOR IT!

IN COMBAT'S HANDS THE GARAND BEHAVES AS A GUN SHOULD ON A BATTLEFIELD! EVERY TIME COMBAT YANKS AT THE TRIGGER A RED PAYS WITH HIS LIFE FOR THE EFFORT.

SUDDENLY THE COMMIE ASSAULT FORCE DECIDES IT CAN'T AFFORD THE PRICE.. AND THEY FALL BACK...

GIVE 'EM GRENADES FOR A GOIN' AWAY PRESENT!

THE DIN OF BATTLE ECHOES AWAY OVER THE HILLS' ALL IS STILL! AND IN THE SILENCE THE COMBAT VETERANS HEAR A SOUND THAT TEARS AT THEIR GUTS AS THE NEW KID DROPS TO HIS KNEES AND SOBS AT HIS FAILURE ON HIS FIRST DAY OF COMBAT.

(SOB) (SOB) (SOB) (SOB)

THE DOGGIES LEAVE THE KID ALONE! THEY REMEMBER THEIR FIRST DAY AT THE FRONT..AND THEY UNDERSTAND.
IT'S SOMETHIN' A NEW GUY'S GOTTA SETTLE WITH HIMSELF! LET'S NOT POKE OUR SCHNOZ WHERE IT DON'T BELONG!
YEAH.. YER RIGHT, COMBAT!
BUT THIS KID IS DIFFERENT... YOUNGER, MORE SENSITIVE! HE'S ASHAMED OF THE WAY HE BEHAVED UNDER FIRE ..AND HE KEEPS TO HIMSELF ALL NEXT DAY! AND EVEN WHEN HE'S WRITING A LETTER HE CRIES...
Dear Mom, Dad was right when he said that I'd never amount to anything! I proved it to myself yesterday at the front...
THE KID REACHES UP TO DRY HIS TEARS ..
AND A GUST OF WIND PICKS UP THE LETTER...
AND CARRIES IT OVER THE SHELL-TORN GROUND..
UNTIL THE LETTER IS STOPPED BY COMBAT'S FACE.
WHAT'S THE MATTER, COMBAT... YA HAVIN' NIGHTMARES?
NAW' THIS HUNK'A PAPER SMACKED ME IN THE KISSER AN' HEY, IT'S A LETTER... AN' LOOK WHAT IT SEZ
I proved that I was a coward! I was so scared I couldn't shoot ... and after the battle I cried like a baby! One of the men saved my life.. a hero! HQ called him 'Combat Kelly' I wish I was like him
I... I BEG YOUR PARDON... BUT DID... DID YOU SEE A...A...
YEAH, HERE IT IS, KID! HANG ON TO YER LOVE LETTERS ..THEY'RE KEEPIN' US AWAKE!

THE LETTER BOTHERS COMBAT! HE CAN'T GET IT OFF HIS MIND... AND TWO DAYS LATER...
COM'N, COMBAT, IT'S TIME FOR CHOW!
I AIN'T HUNGRY! YOU GO! I'M GONNA STAY AN' WRITE A LETTER!
HUH! WRITE A... A WHAT?
YOU HEARD ME! NOW SCRAM!
COMBAT SHARPENS HIS PENCIL STUB WITH HIS BAYONET AND GETS TO WORK...
Dear Ma,
I'm okay, but still at the front! The reds attacked yesterday and I was scared again.
AND WHEN COMBAT FINISHES... HE CRAWLS TOWARD THE KID'S FOXHOLE...
AND DROPS THE LETTER IN ON TOP OF THE KID...
IT'S A LETTER! IT MUST'VE BLOWN AWAY FROM SOMEBODY LIKE MINE DID ONCE! MAYBE IF I READ IT I CAN FIND OUT WHO IT BELONGS TO!
I was so scared I fought like blazes! And after the battle I cried again like George Washington did after Valley Forge!
It's like you said, Ma! Being scared and crying doesn't mean I'm a coward it means I'm human!
HEY, KID! DID YA SEE A LETTER FLOATIN' AROUND HERE? IT'S MINE!
YOURS! THIS... THIS... IS YOUR LETTER, COMBAT?
YEAH, AN..
HEY! YOU DOGGIES! GRAB YER GUNS AN' YER FOX-HOLES! THE REDS ARE COMIN'!

IT'S ONLY A SMALL SKIRMISH FORCE OF REDS... BUT THEY'RE OUT TO KILL... OR BE KILLED!
YA GOT BACK JUST IN TIME, COOKIE!
YEAH... JUST'N TIME TO SEE THAT NEW KID IN ACTION!
CRIPES, COMBAT, LOOK AT HIM HANDLE THAT M-1!
AN' HEAVE THEM IRON EGGS!
THAT KID'S OKAY NOW! HE'LL MAKE AN A-1 DOGGIE! FUNNY THO HOW HE CHANGED FROM A SCARED KID TO A VETERAN SO SUDDEN-LIKE!
YEAH... AIN'T IT?
AND AFTER THE COMMIE SKIRMISH FORCE IS LEFT DECORATING THE BATTLEFIELD...
CRIPES, KID! YA HANDLED YERSELF LIKE A VET! WELCOME TO THE FRATERNITY!
THANKS, COOKIE! I OWE IT ALL TO COMBAT KELLY! I... I HOPE HE DOESN'T MIND, BUT I READ THAT LETTER OF HIS THAT BLEW INTO MY FOXHOLE! THE ONE HE WROTE TO HIS MOTHER!
WHAT THAT LETTER SAID MADE ALL THE DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD TO ME! YOU DON'T MIND MY READING IT... DO YOU, COMBAT?
NAW... IT'S OKAY, KID! BUT DON'T TELL ANYONE ELSE ABOUT IT!
I WON'T... AND THANKS AGAIN!
HEY, WHAT'S ALL THE JABBER ABOUT A LETTER TO YER MOTHER, COMBAT?
AW, THE KID'S BATTLE BATTY!
HE DOESN'T KNOW WHAT HE'S TALKIN' ABOUT!
I'LL SAY HE DON'T! HOW COULD YA WRITE A LETTER TO YER MOTHER... WHEN YER AN ORPHAN?!
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TRAIL OF THE VULTURE

MARK KERRIN'S mouth tightened as he glanced down at the body of his dead buddy, Tim Wilks.

He'd never thought to see Tim again, not Tim whose parachute had been set afire deliberately by bullets from The Vulture's Mig. For it had been the Vulture, deadly commie ace who had downed Tim while Mark, engaged by the rest of the Vulture's squadron had been helpless.

The Vulture's formula for victory was simple: divide and destroy, particularly if the U.N. force was outnumbered. His flying skill was superb. Man for man, Mark knew he had to concede that to the Vulture. And while his flock of lethal birds distracted and blocked a U.N. force, the Vulture would pounce on them one by one.

Now Tim was back, dumped from the wings of the Vulture's Mig moments before, a day after his parachute had smashed him into the great rocky wastes west of Chonju on the western Korean front. Mark read the bloody message pinned to Tim's dirt-smeared jacket. It read: *A lesson for small canaries from—The Vulture.*

The briefing bell rang. Mark hesitated as the stretcher was borne away. Then, with the other pilots of the Sabrejet squadron, he walked to the briefing room, his fists clenched. Glances of sympathy were thrown his way. Then everyone's attention was claimed by the Colonel.

"A routine flight," he concluded. "But important for all that. Keep your eyes peeled for enemy flak positions."

Minutes later the half-dozen pilots swarmed out onto the field, and walked to their waiting Sabrejets.

Then the takeoff.

Mark glanced at the map in front of him. He wanted desperately to fly off on his own, seek out the Vulture and destroy him, avenge Tim's death and the honor of the squadron. But doing that was impossible. Besides, he knew that the Vulture's outfit roamed the skies with no particular flight plan. They hovered, watching for smaller outfits – then pounced.

The flight of Sabrejets roared up Death Alley.

Mark glanced at the gun controls. His weapons were loaded, ready. Never before had he so longed for battle.

But no one knew where the Vulture was.

Commands crackled suddenly through his earphones.

"Bear west!"

The Sabrejet turned slowly with the rest of the squadron. The sky began to cloud up. With a pounding heart Mark realized that they were heading toward the rocky wastes where Tim had been lost the day before.

His plane suddenly rocked. *Flak!*

He noted the anti-aircraft position, while one of the other planes dropped suddenly, roaring down. He watched the rockets roar out from its wings, then the terrible explosion as the enemy gun position went skyhigh. Mark smiled. If only . . .

The cloud masses before him parted abruptly, broke up into larger fragments.

"Squadron detected," came the earphones.

Mark strained his eyes ahead. He saw eight pairs of wings.

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One of them waggled crazily.

The Vulture!

From far below the enemy squadron began climbing. At a glance Mark saw his own outfit couldn't use their superior height as an advantage. The enemy outfit was too close; the U.N. planes would only overshoot the mark, leaving their rear helpless.

Orders crackled over the earphones. Mark was to take the left flank. He grinned. The Vulture had a love of left flanks. Mentally he thanked the squadron commander for giving him first crack at the enemy ace.

He peeled off, fell quickly as the first gun bursts cut through the U.N. airfleet. The Sabrejets scattered in battle formation.

Mark's hands tightened on the controls. There it was. He saw the enemy outfit moving in on his own squadron while the Vulture swooped up toward him.

Hate filled his heart. He dropped his nose, fired; a long burst ripped from his guns. He knew it was a bad move. He'd opened his defenses to the Vulture. Mark shook his head. Hatred had no place in the science of battle—not if it caused you to make mistakes.

Again the Vulture crossed his guns; they roared, but the Vulture pulled his nose up just at the last moment.

Mark glanced back. He saw an enemy plane plummet down, on fire. A grim smile set on his face. This time the Vulture wouldn't go home scatheless. Then his eyes flashed. This time, he told himself, the Vulture mustn't go home at all. The Vulture came roaring past. He tripped his guns. They blasted, halted in silence. Mark's heart sank. His ammo was exhausted.

Only his rockets were left and they were useless in air-to-air combat.

He saw the Vulture riding up toward him. Flame licked from the Mig's wings. Then Mark stood the Sabrejet on his nose. He had to get away. There was one way out, he knew. It would take skill. He cocked an eye downward, saw what he was looking for, but he didn't smile.

The Sabrejet roared on down, the Vulture on its tail, bullets whipping past. Mark headed for a great cloud mass; his hands tightened on the controls. Then he was inside it. The instant he saw light he pulled back on the stick. Up he went. Turning as he barreled out of the cloud he saw the Vulture break through, waver, try to turn. Then it seemed to drop. It went on, nosing down, hitting the ground, exploding. On his way up he saw the Vulture's squadron, reduced by three planes, disengage and flee north, disorganized by their leader's death.

Mark Kerrin smiled. It was going to be good to tell them back at base how he'd killed the Vulture, how he'd lured him through a masking cloud toward a flight of the vulture buzzards that haunted the rocky wastes. He'd gotten away because he knew what was coming, because he'd seen them before the Vulture did, and had pulled up before he collided with the flight of buzzards that had clogged the nose vent of the Mig jet, cutting off its air supply, jamming its turbine and hurling it to death.

"Canaries, eh?" he said softly. "Maybe ..." He was content that vultures had killed The Vulture.

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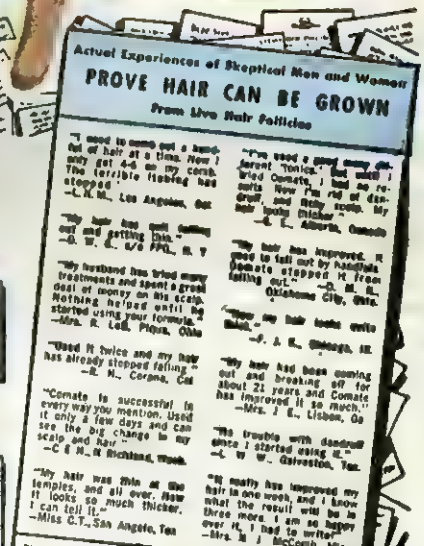
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YEAH... AN' MEBBY YA'D LIKE YER SLIPPERS AN' PIPE, TOO?
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COOKIE'S GARAND AND O'HOOLIGAN'S CARBINE SPIT LEAD AS FAST AS THEY CAN PULL THE TRIGGERS... AND THE REDS CRUMBLE TO THE GROUND IN THE SAME TEMPO

THEN THE TWO DOGGIES HEAR MUFFLED FOOTSTEPS BEHIND THEM .. AND THEY FREEZE

AND WHEN THEY THAW OUT...

FIRE AND LEAD STAB THE DARKNESS...

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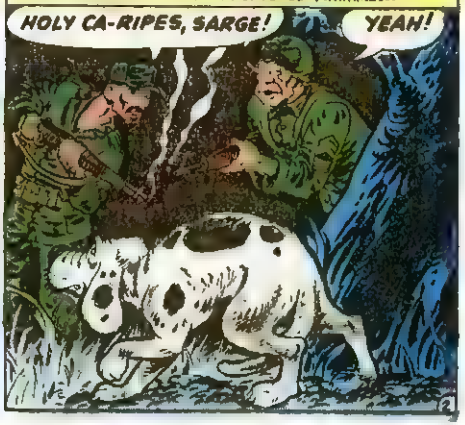

GEE, I... GOT MY WISH! NOW WE'VE GOT A DOG TO KEEP US COMPANY!
YEAH... AN' TO YOO-HOO THE REDS RIGHT TO OUR POSITION WITH HIS YOWLIN'! GET RID OF THAT MUTT QUICK... BEFORE HE GETS US KILLED!
AW-W, SARGE! HE WON'T MAKE A SOUND!
OH, NO? THEN WHATTA YA CALL WHAT HE'S DOIN' NOW.. THINKIN' OUT LOUD?
A-O-O-W-W!
HEY CUT IT OUT, POOCH! YER KNOCKIN' ME INTO A HOLE!
HOLY SMOKES! HE'S GONE NUTS!
CRIPES! HE'S ATTACKIN' ME! LEGGO MY LEG, YA CRAZY CANINE! LEGGO!
THE DOG DRAGS O'HOOLIGAN INTO THE SHELL HOLE... AND A FEW SECONDS LATER THE AIR ABOVE THEM IS RIPPED WITH RED TRACERS...
HOLY CRIPES, SARGE! THAT RED MACHINE-GUN FIRE WOULD'A CUT US IN TWO IF IT WASN'T FOR THAT POOCH! HE... HE SAVED OUR LIVES!
Y-YEAH!

AN' NOW THAT WE KNOW WHERE THAT RED M-G NEST IS ..LET'S SPLIT UP AN' MOVE IN ON IT FROM TWO SIDES!
OKAY, SARGE!
THEY SEPARATE AND MAKE A WIDE ARC, KEEPING THE RED NEST BETWEEN THEM! IT'S SO QUIET, COOKIE CAN HEAR HIS WRIST WATCH HAMMERING LIKE A $198 ALARM CLOCK...
SH-H!
THEN SUDDENLY, A HUNDRED HOLES PUNCTURE THE NIGHT AS THE COMM E MACH'NE GUN OPENS UP...
THEY MUST'A SPOTTED THE SARGE! I HOPE HE'S OKAY AN'...NEY! THE POOCH ... HE'S GONE!
THE NIGHT HIDES THE DOG FROM COOKIE'S EYES...AND FROM THE REDS' EYES TOO, AS HE MAKES HIS WAY TO WHERE THE SARGE LIES WOUNDED....
GET OUTTA HERE, YA LOUSY MUTT! YA'LL ATTRACT THE COMMIES' FIRE! SCRAM! MOVE! BEAT IT!
THE SARGE STOPS PICKING ON THE DOG WHEN HE HEARS A DULL "HUD"..
FOLLOWED BY A FAINT BUZZING SOUND...
S-S-S-S
AND THEN HE SPOTS THE FAMILIAR SHAPE...
IT'S...A GRENADE! AN'... AN' I CAN'T MOVE TO...TO REACH IT!
S-S-S-S

BUT THE DOG CAN... AND DOES...

HE PICKS IT UP...

AND DELIVERS IT...

TO THE REDS...

S-S-S-S

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FOLLOWING THE GRENADE BLAST, RED MORTARS BEGIN TO SHELL THE AREA FROM THE HILLS... AND THE DOG GOES BACK TO PULL THE SARGE OUT OF RANGE...

CRIPES, AFTER THE WAY I TREATED THIS MUTT, HE'S RISKIN' HIS SCRAWNY HIDE TO SAVE MINE!

AND WHEN COOKIE FINDS O'HOOLIGAN MUCH LATER...

SARGE! SEE I... I'M GLAD TO SEE YA ALIVE! BUT YER WOUNDED!

IT'S OKAY NOW! I STOPPED THE BLEEDING AN' BANDAGED IT!

HEY! YA...YA GOT THE POOCH, TOO! HE RAN AWAY...BUT YOU SAVED HIM, YA SAVED HIS LIFE! GEE, CAN I KEEP HIM NOW, SARGE?

YEAH...YA CAN KEEP HIM!

AND AS COOKIE AND O'HOOLIGAN HEAD SOUTH...

GEE, I DON'T KNOW WHAT MADE YA CHANGE YER MIND ABOUT THE DOG, SARGE...BUT I'M SURE GLAD YA DID!

AN' YA'LL NEVER KNOW! YOU AN' THE DOG WALK UP AHEAD... I'LL BRING UP THE REAR!

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BUT YOU ARE!
OW-W-W!
RELATIVE OF AN OX! HAVE YOU NO RESPECT? THAT IS THE HONORABLE TIGER OF TOKCHON! IT IS WRITTEN... DEATH TO HIM WHO DARES TOUCH THE TIGER!
IT AIN'T WRITTEN... BUT THE SAME GOES FOR MY PAL COMBAT...
AN' THIS'LL SHOW YOU COMMIE CHARACTERS THAT YOUR TIGER OF TOKCHON...
IS NOTHIN' BUT A PIG IN A PUDDLE!
BLUB-BLUB-GLUB!

RELEASE THE HONORABLE ONE, AMERICAN DOG! OR I WILL ALLOW THIS GRENADE TO MAKE PIECES OF ALL OF US! DEATH OR CAPTURE BY YOU IS A DISGRACE... SO IT IS AN EASY CHOICE TO DIE BY OUR OWN HAND!
LET'S DO AS HE SEZ, COMBAT... THEY DON'T CARE FOR THEIR LIVES, BUT I'M KIND'A FOND OF MINE!
YOUR COMRADE SPEAKS WISELY! RELEASE THE TIGER AND YOUR LIVES WILL BE SPARED!
OKAY...YOU WIN!
YOU STUPID MONGREL! CAMEL! TRAITOR! YOU BARGAIN WITH THIS FILTH? I WOULD HAVE DISPOSED OF THEM! I HAD THE SITUATION WELL IN HAND! I WAS ONLY PLAYING WITH THEM!
OW-W!
AND BEFORE I AM THRU WITH YOU TWO, YOU WILL WISH YOU HAD CHOSEN THE GRENADE! HERE... DIG TWO HOLES IN THE EARTH... OR I WILL DIG TWO IN YOUR STUPID HEADS WITH MY REVOLVER!
IT'S EASY TO GROWL LIKE A TIGER WITH THAT GUN IN YOUR HAND... BUT PUT IT DOWN AN' I'LL SHOW YA WHAT A SKUNK YA ARE!
NOW YOU HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY, HONORABLE COMMANDER! DEMONSTRATE YOUR SUPERIOR STRENGTH AND COURAGE TO THE MISERABLE WEAKLING! SHOW THEM WHY THEY CALL YOU THE TIGER OF TOKCHON... OW-W!
KEEP YOUR BIG MOUTH SHUT, IDIOT!
OW!
CRIPES, COMBAT, LET'S TAKE IT EASY! HE... HE'S MAKIN' US DIG OUR OWN GRAVES!

BUT EVERY TIME COMBAT AND COOKIE SLOW DOWN IN THEIR DIGGING THEY ARE PRODDED WITH A SHARP BAYONET...
MORE HASTE, LAZY ONES... IT WILL SOON BE DARK!
OW-W!
AND FIVE FEET OF HOLE LATER...
STOP! THAT IS DEEP ENOUGH! NOW MY SOLDIERS WILL REPLACE THE DIRT... AND YOU TWO REMAIN IN THE HOLES!
HOLY SMOKE! HE... HE'S GONNA BURY US ALIVE!
ONLY UP TO YOUR NECKS... AND THEN I DECORATE YOUR UGLY HEADS WITH THIS!
CRIPES, THAT COMMIE IS BUGGIER THAN A G.I. BLANKET!
HE MELTED THE CHOCOLATE BARS HE SNATCHED FROM OUR POCKETS AN' HE'S POURIN' THE GOO OVER US LIKE WE WERE A COUPLE OF MARSHMALLOW SUNDAES!
THAT IS TO MAKE YOU VERY SWEET— FOR THE BIG RED ANTS! AND WHEN THEY EAT OFF ALL THE CHOCOLATE THEN THEY WILL START ON YOUR EYEBALLS!
I REGRET I CANNOT REMAIN TO WATCH THE FESTIVITIES! THERE IS MORE IMPORTANT WORK TO DO... SUCH AS SETTING A TRAP FOR AN ENTIRE COMPANY OF AMERICAN IDIOTS! THEY, TOO, WILL LEARN THAT TO MEET THE TIGER OF TONGHON... IS TO MEET DEATH!
YOU'LL PAY FOR THIS, YA DIRTY BUTCHER!
A FEW MINUTES AFTER THE COMMIES LEAVE, THE TWO DOGGIES SEE THE GIANT RED ANTS COME CRAWLING OUT OF THEIR HOLES...
THE INSECTS SWARM OVER THE G.I'S HEADS, SIPPING UP THE SWEET CHOCOLATE...
IN A FEW MINUTES COMBAT AND COOKIE ARE LICKED CLEAN...
AND THE ANTS START NIBBLING ON THEIR FLESH...
OWWW!

COOKIE'S SCREAMS ARE SUDDENLY DROWNED OUT...
HEY! WHERE...WHERE'S THE WATER COMIN' FROM?
CA-RIPES! THAT AIN'T WATER... THAT'S GASOLINE!
YES, AMERICANS! GASOLINE TO KILL THE RED ANTS BEFORE THEY CHEW YOUR FACES OFF!
HOLY SMOKES! IT... IT'S A DAME!
NO... MY NAME IS HU CHEE, HOT DAME! BUT ENOUGH TALK... I MUST WORK TO GET YOU OUT OF THE EARTH! THERE IS NOTHING TO DIG WITH... I MUST USE MY HANDS!
AN' RUIN YER MANICURE... NOTHIN' DOIN', HU CHEE! MY HELMET'S OVER THERE... USE THAT!
HU CHEE'S HANDS ARE COVERED WITH BLISTERS BY THE TIME SHE HAS REMOVED ENOUGH DIRT TO FREE THE TWO DOGGIES...
THANKS HU CHEE! YA-YA BETTER REST! YA'VE BEEN WORKIN' FOR HOURS, AN'...
BUT I CANNOT STOP NOW! YOU TWO ARE WOUNDED, AND YOU HAVE A FEVER! I WILL DRAG YOU TO MY CAVE AND CLEAN YOUR WOUNDS!
WE ARE HERE NOW... YOU WILL BE SAFE!
YEAH... SAFE... BUT... BUT IT'S HOT... I... I'M BURNIN' UP... I... I...
FOR DAYS HU CHEE WATCHES OVER THE TWO FEVER-PLAGUED DOGGIES' SHE NURSES THEM... FEEDS THEM...
AND THRU THE SLEEPLESS NIGHTS SHE PRAYS FOR THEM...

IT TAKES TIME...ABOUT A WEEK, BUT HU CHEE'S PRAYERS ARE ANSWERED! COMBAT AND COOKIE ARE STRONG ENOUGH TO WALK...AND THEY'RE RARIN' TO GO...
AH... SO YER BACK AT LAST, HU CHEE! WHERE IN BLAZES DO YOU DISAPPEAR TO EVERY DAY...SIGHTSEEIN'?
YES! AND I SEE SIGHT NOT VERY PLEASANT! TAKE THIS GUN AND FOLLOW... I WILL SHOW YOU...
A FEW MILES LATER, HU CHEE STOPS AND POINTS THRU THE FOLIAGE...
HOLY CA-RIPES, COMBAT... IT'S THE TIGER OF TOKCHON!
YEAH. . AN' ALONE UP HERE WITH A H GH EXPLOSIVES' DETONATOR BOX,' HIS MEN ARE ALL DOWN IN THE VALLEY PLANTIN' THE STUFF ... A TRAP FOR OUR DOGGIES!
PUT UP YER BLOODY PAWS, BLUBBER BOY!
HUH? IN THE NAME OF BUDDHA... NO, IT... CANNOT BE! YOU TWO ARE... ARE...
WE'RE ALIVE AN' KICKIN'... AN THAT'S MORE'N YA'LL BE ABLE TO DO WHEN I GET THRU WITH YA!
YOU...YOU ARE BRAVE BECAUSE YOU HAVE A GUN.... AND I BUT A SWORD!
LET US PUT DOWN OUR WEAPONS AND SETTLE THIS LIKE MEN!
NOW YER TALKIN', TIGER!
BUT AS SOON AS COMBAT'S WEAPON HITS THE GROUND, THE TIGER OF TOKCHON SLIDES A HIDDEN DAGGER OUT OF HIS SLEEVE AND...
YOU HAVE THE TIGER AT BAY, BUT ALL MY CLAWS ARE NOT CLIPPED YET!
WHY, YOU DIRTY, DOUBLE-DEALIN' SKUNK!
SUDDENLY EIGHT BULLETS RIP THRU THE TIGER'S BODY IN RAPID SUCCESSION...

WITH PUZZLED AMAZEMENT, COMBAT AND COOKIE WATCH THE TIGER OF TOKCHON SAG TO THE GROUND AS IF THE LEAD IN HIS BODY WERE PULLING HIM DOWN! THEY DON'T SEE HU CHEE AS SHE RUNS OUT OF THE WOODS...

CA-RIPES! EIGHT SHOTS...RIGHT THRU HIM!

WHEN HU CHEE REACHES THE DETONATOR BOX, SHE SLAMS THE PLUNGER DOWN WITH ALL HER STRENGTH...

IT... IT IS DONE!

THE VALLEY BELOW IS TURNED INTO A HADES ON EARTH AS THE HIGH EXPLOSIVES, WHICH THE REDS WERE PLANTING, ARE TOUCHED OFF BY HU CHEE'S ACTION! THE TIGER'S TRAP FOR THE AMERICAN DOGGIES, BECOMES A FUNERAL PYRE FOR HIS ENTIRE FORCE...

AND WHEN THE RUMBLING CEASES, HU CHEE BURSTS INTO TEARS...

AW, DON'T TAKE IT THAT WAY, HU CHEE! THEY WOULD'VE DONE THE SAME TO OUR DOGGIES, IF IT WASN'T FOR YOU!

AN' YA SHOULD GET A MEDAL FOR SHOOTIN' THAT INSULT TO HUMANITY...

DON'T WASTE TEARS OVER IT!

YOU M-MUST ALLOW M-ME A...FEW...

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